

Amendment/Response to Office Action mailed 2/23/2001 for Application No. 09/623,068.  
Applicant(s) MCGINNIS ET AL. Response due by Saturday 6/23/2001 (37 CFR 1.136(a) 1  
month extension petition filed and fee paid) Monday 6/25/2001 first business day after  
6/23/2001.

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**Amendment**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Ralph Evan McGinnis and Robert Owen McGinnis

Application No.: 09/623, 068

Filed: 08/26/2000

Title of the Invention: TWO-DIMENSIONAL LINKAGE STUDY TECHNIQUES

Art Unit 1656

Examiner: Horlick, K.

**Amendment**

Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 23, 2001, having a response due by May 23, 2001. Request for extension for one month with fee under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(1) was submitted on May 21, 2001 by Express Mail. With one month extension, response is due Saturday June 23, 2001, the next business day being Monday June 25, 2001.

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